

REMARKS

Claims 1-20 are pending in the present application. Claims 1-15 stand rejected. Applicants appreciate the Examiner's indication of allowance for Claims 16-20. Applicants respectfully object to the Examiner's use of a final rejection where the Jung reference is first applied against Applicants' claims because Applicants cannot amend the claims in response to the Examiner's rejections. Applicants respectfully request that the Application be brought off final rejection or that the Examiner and Supervisory Examiner grant Applicants' attorney a telephone conference to discuss the pending claims.

Claim 7 stands objected to due to informalities. Claim 15 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112 second paragraph for an informality. Applicants have amended Claims 7 and 15 to address these informalities and respectfully request withdrawal of the objection and rejection.

Claim 9 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 6,822,857 issued to Jung et al. Claims 1 and 5 - 8 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Jung et al. in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,392,873 issued to Honda. Claims 2 - 3 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Jung et al. in view of Honda and further in view of U.S. Patent No. 4,222,304 issued to Yoshida et al. Claim 4 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Jung et al. in view of Honda, Yoshida et al. and further in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,188,569 issued to Minemoto et al. Claims 10 - 15 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Jung et al. in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,816,364 issued to Helot et al.

Jung discloses a monitor mounted to pivot through a variety of orientations.

Claim 9 recites, in part, "a cable clip having a support arm and a guide, the support arm having a first end connecting to the support member and a second end extending outward from the support member, the guide having an opening in a plane, the plane aligned substantially parallel with the support member and substantially perpendicular to the support arm to accept cables from the peripheral and maintain the cables in an accessible position."

Jung cannot anticipate Claim 9 because Jung fails to teach, disclose or suggest all elements recited by Claim 9. For instance, Jung fails to teach disclose or suggest "a cable clip having a support arm and a guide, the support arm having a first end connecting to the support member and a second end extending outward from the support member." The Examiner states that the monitor bracket 170 of Jung discloses the recited cable clip. Applicants respectfully direct the Examiner to column 5 lines 35-56 which clarify that monitor bracket 170 connects the monitor to the link member 10 which supports the bracket over a base member 130. The opening which the Examiner apparently equates to the "guide" of the cable clip cannot be both parallel with the support member (link member 10) and perpendicular to the support arm as suggested by the Examiner. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner withdraw the rejection to Claim 9 and allow Claims 9-15 without further delay.

Claim 1 recites, in part, "a cable clip extending outward from the stand, the cable clip having a guide forming an opening in a plane and having a support arm connecting the guide to the stand, the opening sized to accept the one or more cables and the plane of the opening aligned substantially perpendicular to the support arm to constrain the cables within the cable clip during movement of the flat panel display between the variable positions."


Jung and Honda cannot make obvious Claim 1 because Jung and Honda, taken separately or in combination, fail to teach, disclose or suggest all elements recited by Claim 1. For instance, neither Jung nor Honda teach, disclose or suggest "a cable clip extending outward from the stand" as recited by Claim 1. The monitor bracket 170 of Jung referenced by the Examiner as disclosing the recited cable clip connects the monitor and the stand in an integrated assembly. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner withdrawal the rejection of Claim 1 and allow Claims 1-8 without further delay.

CONCLUSION


In view of the amendments and remarks set forth herein, the application is believed to be in condition for allowance and a notice to that effect is solicited. Nonetheless, should any issues

remain that might be subject to resolution through a telephonic interview, the examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned.

No fees are believed due and no extension of time is believed to be required. If, however, an extension of time is required, please provide such extension of time, and please charge the Deposit Account No. 502264 for the extension fee and any other fees required.

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